

**Preliminary Amendment**

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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

**Please delete the paragraph bridging page 11 to 12.**

**Please replace the second paragraph on page 18 with the following amended paragraph:**

Examples of the enzymes for reducing malodor include carbohydrases, lipases, proteases, phytases, and the like. By mixing these enzymes in the deodorant composition, the deodorizing effect can be enhanced. ~~The above carbohydrases (e.g., dextranases and mutanases) include all enzymes capable of decomposing carbohydrate chains having five-membered ring structures and six-membered structures (i.e., enzymes classified into Enzyme Classification Number E.C.3.2 (glycosidases) based on International Union of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology (hereinafter referred to as IUBMB)). A dextranase is an  $\alpha$ -1,6 glucanase (also known as 1,6  $\alpha$ -D-glucan-6-glucanohydraz) which decomposes an  $\alpha$ -1,6 glycoside bond of dextran. A mutanase is an  $\alpha$ -1,3 glucanase (also known as  $\alpha$ -1,3 glucanohydraz) which decomposes an  $\alpha$ -1,3 glycoside bond in mutan.~~

**Please delete the paragraph bridging page 18 to 19.**

**Please delete the first, second and third paragraphs on page 19.**

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**Please replace the table on page 80 with the following amended table:**

Table 33 Composition of powdery detergent

Component	% by weight
<del>Sodium C 12-C 18 valei sulfate</del> <u>Sodium lauryl sulfate, Sodium stearyl sulfate</u>	15.0
Sodium carbonate	15.0
Sodium metasilicate	13.0
Sodium citrate	15.0
Carboxymethyl cellulose	2.0
Sodium sulfate	38.0
Deodorant composition of the invention	2.0
Total	100.0

**Please replace the paragraph bridging page 42 to 43 with the following amended paragraph:**

The following show chemical names of the trade names and general names in the above materials.

Duplical (Quest); 4-(tricyclo[5.2.1.02,6]decylidene-8)butanal.

Jasmal; 3-pentyltetrahydropyran-4-yl acetate.

Aphermate (IFF);  $\alpha$ ,3,3-trimethylcyclohexanemethyl formate.

Floralozon (IFF); p-ethyl- $\alpha$ , $\alpha$ -dimethylhydrocinnamaldehyde.

Cyclogalbanate (Dragoco); allyl cyclohexyloxyacetate.

Estragole; methyl chavicol.

Rhubofix (Firmenich); an isomeric mixture of spiro[1,4-methanonaphthlene-2(1H),2'-oxirane],3,4,4a,5,8,8a,-hexahydro-3',7-dimethyl (1) and spiro[1,4-methanonaphthalene-(2H),2'-oxiran],3,4,4a,5,8,8a-hexahydro-3',6-dimethyl (2).

Triplal (IFF); dimethyl tetrahydrobenzaldehyde.

Koavone (IFF); 4-methylene-3,5,6,6-tetramethyl-2-heptanone.

Limetol; 2,2,6-trimethyl-6-vinyl tetrahydropyran.

Ambroxan (Henkel); decahydro-3a, 6, 6, 9a-tetramethyl-naphtho[2.1-b]furan.

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Damascone;  $\alpha$ -damascone,  $\beta$ -damascone,  $\gamma$ -damascone,  $\delta$ -damascone.

Damascenone;  $\alpha$ -damascenone,  $\beta$ -damascenone,  $\gamma$ -damascenone.

Ionone;  $\alpha$ -ionone,  $\beta$ -ionone,  $\gamma$ -ionone.

Methylionone;  $\alpha$ -n-methylionone,  $\beta$ -n-methylionone,  $\gamma$ -n-methylionone,  $\alpha$ -iso-methylionone,  $\beta$ -iso-methylionone,  $\gamma$ -iso-methylionone.

Sandal: bacdanol (IFF); 2-ethyl-4-(2,2,3-trimethyl-3-cyclopenten-1-yl)-2-buten-1-ol,

Brahamanol (Dragoco); 2-methyl-4-(2,2,3-trimethyl-3-cyclopenten-1-yl)butanol,

Madranol (Dragoco);  $\beta$ -2,2,3-tetramethyl-3-cyclopentenyl-2-butenol,

Sandalore (Givaudan); 3-methyl-5-(2,2,3-trimethylcyclopent-3-en-1-yl)-pentan-2-ol,

3,3-dimethyl-5-(2,2,3-trimethylcyclopenten-1-yl)-pent-4-en-2-ol,

Methyl sandeflor (TPC); 2-methyl-1-(methylbicyclo[2.2.1]-hept-5-en-2-yl)-penten-3-ol,

Sandeol (MS), and the like.

Musk: Cashmeran (IFF); 1,2,3,5,6,7-hexahydro-1,1,2,3,3-pentamethyl-4H-inden-4-one,

Galaxolide (IFF); 1,3,4,6,7,8-hexahydro-4,6,6,7,8,8-hexamethyl cyclopenta- $\gamma$ -2-benzopyran,

Tonalid (PFW); 6-acetyl-1,1,2,4,4,7-hexamethyl tetrahydro naphthalene,

phantolid; 5-acetyl-1,1,2,3,3,6-hexamethyl indan,

versalide; 7-acetyl-1,1,4,4-tetramethyl-6-ethyl-1,2,3,4-tetrahydro-naphthalene,

exaltolide; oxacyclohexadecan-2-one,

exaltone; cyclopentadecanone,

oxalide; 10-oxahexadecanolide,

12-oxahexadecanolide, ethylenebrassylate,

celestolide (IFF); 4-acetyl-6-tert-butyl-1,1-dimethylindan,

Traseolide (Quest); 5-aceyl-3-isopropyl-1,1,2,6-tetramethyl indan,

ethylenedodecanedioate, 5-cyclohexadecen-1-one, and the like.

Iso-E-Super (IFF); 7-acetyl-1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8-octahydro-1,1,6,7-tetramethyl-naphthalene.

Timberol (Dragoco); 1-(2,2,6-trimethylcyclohexan-1-yl)-hexan-3-ol.

Ironone;  $\alpha$ -ironone,  $\beta$ -ironone,  $\gamma$ -ironone.

$\alpha$ -Dynascone (Firmenich); 1-(5,5-dimethylcyclohexen-1-yl)-4-penten-1-one.